

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Hartwig KUNZEL, et al.

SERIAL NO: NEW U.S. APPLICATION

FILED: HEREWITH

FOR: VAPOR BARRIER FOR USE IN THE HEAT INSULATION OF BUILDINGS

REQUEST FOR PRIORITY

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☒ Full benefit of the filing date of U.S. Application Serial Number 09/521,125, filed March 7, 2000, is claimed pursuant to the provisions of **35 U.S.C. §120**, which is a Continuation-in-Part of 08/945,146 filed October 17, 1997, abandoned, which was filed as International Application No. PCT/DE96/00705 filed April 18, 1996.

☐ Full benefit of the filing date(s) of U.S. Provisional Application(s) is claimed pursuant to the provisions of **35 U.S.C. §119(e)**:
Application No. **Date Filed**

☒ Applicants claim any right to priority from any earlier filed applications to which they may be entitled pursuant to the provisions of **35 U.S.C. §119**, as noted below.

In the matter of the above-identified application for patent, notice is hereby given that the applicants claim as priority:

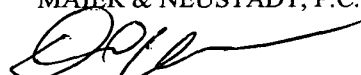
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Certified copies of the corresponding Convention Application(s)

- ☐ are submitted herewith
- ☐ will be submitted prior to payment of the Final Fee
- ☐ were filed in prior application Serial No. filed
- ☒ was submitted to the International Bureau in PCT Application Number PCT/DE96/00705 filed April 18, 1996.
- ☐ (A) Application Serial No.(s) were filed in prior application Serial No. filed ; and
- ☐ (B) Application Serial No.(s)
 - ☐ are submitted herewith
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